STAND. COM. REP. NO. 6 -20

Honolulu, Hawaii

, 2020

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RE: H.B. No. 1793

H.D. 1

Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, House of Representatives Thirtieth State Legislature Regular Session of 2020 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred H.B. No. 1793 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE COMMISSION ON SALARIES,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose of this measure is to amend when recommendations by the Commission on Salaries are effective.

Your Committee received comments on this measure from the Judiciary.

Your Committee finds that salaries recommended by the Commission on Salaries currently take effect at staggered times. Under article XVI, section 3.5 of the Hawaii State Constitution, the Commission reviews and recommends "salaries for the justices and judges of all state courts, members of the [L]eqislature," Governor and Lieutenant Governor, and specified appointed officials within the State executive branch. However, recommended salaries currently take effect in a staggered timeline.

Your Committee finds that all salary recommendations should become effective at the same time. Your Committee further finds that this measure will not affect when the Commissions submit their recommendations and dissolve, which will still occur every six years in accordance with the Hawaii State Constitution.

Rather this measure will require that recommendations take effect simultaneously at a later date.

Your Committee has amended this measure by:

- (1) Changing the effective date to July 1, 2050, to encourage further discussion; and
- (2) Making technical, nonsubstantive amendments for the purposes of clarity, consistency, and style.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Judiciary that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 1793, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Second Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 1793, H.D. 1, and be referred to your Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Judiciary,

CHRIS LEE, Chair

State of Hawaii House of Representatives The THIRTIETH Legislature

Record of Votes of the Committee on Judiciary

Bill/Resolution No.:	Committee	Referral:	Date:		- 1
HB 1793		JUD, PI	7 .	2///	LOW
☐ The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on the measure.					
The recommendation is to: Pass, unamended (as is) Pass, with amendments (HD) Hold					
Pass short form bill with HD to recommit for future public hearing (recommit)					
JUD Members		Ayes	Ayes (WR)	Nays	Excused
1. LEE, Chris (C)					
2. SAN BUENAVENTURA,	Joy A. (VC)				
3. BROWER, Tom					
4. CREAGAN, Richard P.					
5. LOWEN, Nicole E.		a Meng Schröff, and the triplets a		Chinomina (1905) et a State et a la communicación de la communicac	
6. McKELVEY, Angus L.K.					
7. NAKASHIMA, Mark M.	- ANTONISEE STORES OF STORES	0.4800.533			
8. PERRUSO, Amy A.					NEW 501 11 11 1850 E EURES THE 5-5
9. SAY, Calvin K.Y.					
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10. TAKAYAMA, Gregg					
11. YAMANE, Ryan I.					
III. TAMANE, Nyan I.					
12. THIELEN, Cynthia					
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TOTAL (12)		8			
The recommendation is: Not Adopted Not Adopted					
If joint referral, did not support recommendation.					
committee acronym(s)					
Vice Chair's or designee's signature:					
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